TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE

FISCAL MEMORANDUM



HB 3136 - SB 3096

May 19, 2010

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (018724): Deletes language following the enacting clause. Requires food service establishments to label catfish or catfish products as "imported" on their menus if the catfish for sale has been imported from outside the United States.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

Increase State Expenditures - \$59,200/One-Time \$265,200/Recurring

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Increase State Expenditures – Not Significant

Assumptions applied to amendment:

- Inspection for signage and updates to menus regarding the country of origin of catfish can be accomplished during regular inspections and will not result in a significant increase in state expenditures.
- Any costs associated with an increase in complaints to the Department of Health can be accommodated within existing resources without an increased appropriation or reduced reversion.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director

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